

ALL THE NEWS OF THE BADGER STATE

CHANGE IN THE CAMPING ORDERS OF THE GUARDS.

Milwaukee Brewers Protesting Against the Proposed Increase of Beer Tax—Mayor of Menasha Assaulted—Pensions Granted to Wisconsin People—Items of Interest.

Madison, Wis., April 5.—General orders will be issued this week making an important change in the annual encampment of the Wisconsin National guard. The First, Second and Third regiments will go into camp together for one week beginning June 21, and will then be transferred to Milwaukee where the entire state militia will give an exhibition June 28. The Milwaukee regiment will go into camp about the middle of July with the cavalry and the battery. Formerly the regiments have gone into a camp each separately.

MILWAUKEE BREWERS PROTEST

They Do Not Approve of the Proposed Increase in the Beer Tax.

Milwaukee, April 5.—Milwaukee brewers object to the proposed increase in the tax on beer contained in the news from Washington. The report was to the effect that as a revenue measure in case of war the government proposed to raise the tax from \$1 to \$2 a barrel in case of war. Local brewers state that they cannot stand this raise in the tax without making a corresponding rise in the price of beer.

According to a Milwaukee brewer, the tax would be the source of an income of from \$30,000,000 to \$35,000,000, and if all luxuries were taxed proportionately, an additional \$300,000,000 could be raised. The brewers think it an unfair discrimination to tax beer without taxing other luxuries, but express their willingness to meet the tax if all are treated alike.

MAYOR OF MENASHA ASSAULTED

Hoodlums Objected to His Acting as a Peacemaker

Menasha, Wis., April 5.—Mayor J. M. Pleasant has a black eye and Newton and Edward Nussbeck are suffering from other injuries as the result of an encounter with several hoodlums Sunday night. The three men were returning from church when the hoodlums attempted to assault a law student—Jerry Malloy. They endeavored to protect Malloy with the result as stated.

Pensions for Wisconsin People.

Washington, April 5.—Pensions granted persons residing in Wisconsin: Original—Theodore Machold, National home, Milwaukee, \$6; Noble Brundridge, Waupaca, \$6. Restoration and additional—Christopher Bradley (deceased), Fairchild, \$10 to \$12. Increased—Jacob W. Everly, Greenbush, \$6 to \$12; George W. Adams, Medford, \$6 to \$8; John Leubenhimer, Milwaukee, \$8 to \$10. Reissue and increase—John C. Patissee, Burnett Junction, \$10 to \$12. Original Widow, Etc.—Margaret Bradley, Fairchild, \$8.

SURPRISED THEIR PASTOR

Rev. S. G. Huey, of Rock Prairie, Gets a Purse From His Parishioners

The people of the Rock Prairie United Presbyterian church proved their ability to perfectly plan and execute a surprise for their pastor, Rev. S. G. Huey, on Thursday evening, March 31. In the afternoon one of his parishioners took him out to hunt a horse to replace the one recently lost. On his return he was invited to take tea on the plea that the family intended spending the evening at the parsonage, and that after tea they would accompany him home. Upon his arrival at home he found the families of the congregation and community were all of the same mind as they had all selected the same time to spend an evening at the parsonage, for the house was filled with guests. In a neat speech Mr. Robert Barlass announced to the pastor and wife that they had come together in the interests of the house and presented him a roll of bills amounting to \$102. This is another of the many deeds of kindness, which these good people have done for their pastor and family, for which they have most hearty thanks.

In the course of the evening they sat down to an elegant luncheon, which showed the ability of the Rock Prairie ladies in the culinary art. A pleasant evening was enjoyed by all.

THEY KISSED AND MADE UP

Moulton Case Settled and Taken Out of Court.

When the assault and battery case of the State of Wisconsin vs. Robert Davenport was called in the municipal court this morning the matter was soon patched up by the interested parties, and the case was stricken from the calendar by the defendant paying the costs. Louis Moulton, the complaining witness, recently lost one of his eyes, and was obliged to have a glass one inserted. Moulton claimed that Davenport on March 28 assaulted him by striking him in the glass eye with his fist and otherwise bruising him.

Dreyfus Dead.

Paris, April 5.—[Special]—It is rumored that Capt. Dreyfus sent to the Isle Devil for treason, is dead.

DIED FROM AN OPERATION WERE WEARY OF LIFE POPE MUST KEEP

Mrs. B. S. Hatch Succumbs to Shock in Chicago

J. P. Bok received a telegram this morning from Chicago announcing the death of Mrs. B. S. Hatch, which took place in that city last evening at 11:30 o'clock. The deceased has been ill for some time past and died as the result of an operation performed last Thursday.

Mrs. Hatch was well known in this city, she having visited here on numerous occasions in company with her husband, who has for the past twenty years been traveling to this city in the interest of a Chicago paint and oil firm. The sympathy of many Janesville friends will be extended to him in this hour of sorrow.

GAVE AMMONIA FOR MEDICINE

Edward Garry May Die As the Result of a Mistake.

Edward Garry, of South Franklin street, was accidentally given a teaspoonful of ammonia at 7 o'clock yesterday morning in place of medicine, and the mistake nearly cost his life. Mr. Garry has been ill of late, and yesterday morning when he complained of feeling worse, a member of the family by mistake took what she supposed was a teaspoonful of medicine, but which proved to be the deadly drug. Dr. James Mills, who was called, found that Garry's throat and mouth were badly burned, and serious results may yet be the outcome of the accident.

TRADE ONLY ON CURB

This Being a Holiday no Regular Markets Are Held

Chicago, April 5.—[Special]—Owing to election the Chicago Board of Trade was closed today and all trading was made on the curb. July wheat opened 84½ sold 84½ high as 86½, closing 85½, ½ cent above last night's close. May corn sold 29½. Calls for tomorrow on July wheat from 86½ to 87½, closing 87½. Puts 81½ to 84. Puts for this week 80. Calls 91.

IMPOSSIBLE.

"The vendetta is a terrible institution," remarked the man who had been reading a novel. "I am very glad that it could not possibly get a foothold in this country."

"Of course, the American temperament could not tolerate such a thing." "And, moreover, supposing a man named Smith were to have a difficulty with a man named Brown or Robinson. Just look in the city directory and see how many families would be involved. It wouldn't be any vendetta. It would be a war."—Washington Star.

True Happiness.

Mrs. Muggers—I see a prominent society belle is dead. If there ever was a perfectly blissful existence on earth, she enjoyed it while she lived.

Mr. Muggers—Because she was a society belle?

Mrs. Muggers—No. Because she was engaged 24 times and never married.—N. Y. Weekly.

In Charity's Name.

Ella—Oh, what a lovely ring! I never noticed it in your finger before!

Hattie—No, of course not. It's my engagement ring, and I just got it yesterday.

Ella—Really? And how much did you pay for it, dear?—Chicago Daily News.

Absolute Security.

Citizen—Yes, I have an umbrella that needs mending; but, if I let you have it, how am I to know that you will bring it back?

Umbrella Mender—Haf no fear. I always sharge more for mending dan I could sell zee umbrella for.—N. Y. Weekly.

Sue Him.

"I spec," said the colored inhabitant, as he rubbed his head, "dat de railroad gwine ter sue me fer damages."

"What did you do?"

"I went ter sleep on de track, suh, end de engine struck me en run off en smashed itef ter pieces."—Atlanta Constitution.

Wouldn't Do.

Committee Man (to public school teacher)—We are thinkin' of puttin' up a nice motto over your desk to encourage the children. How would "Knowledge is Wealth" do?

School Teacher—That wouldn't do. The children know how small my salary is.—N. Y. Weekly.

Impertinent.

Miss Howler (who sings)—That gentleman you just introduced me to said he would give anything if he had my voice. By the way, what business does he follow?

Friend—He's an auctioneer.—Town and Country Journal.

Sensational, Surely.

"He says that he has been out with a theatrical company that had many unusual and sensational experiences."

"Yes; I am told that all the members received their salaries regularly."—N. Y. World.

So They Did.

"Didn't you tell me this medicine was so good that my children would cry for it?"

"No, you misunderstood me; I told you they would cry after it."—Chicago Record.

More!

The red upon her ruby lips Is mine, in part, by theft, And yet I am not satisfied, I know there is some left. —Detroit Free Press.

Green Bay Pauper Hangs Himself and a Woman Boils Herself

Green Bay, April 5.—[Special]—Godfrey Killee, for a number of years an inmate of the county asylum, committed suicide this morning by hanging himself with a clothes line to one of the beams in the barn on the county farm. He was one of the pioneer residents of Wrightstown, aged 68. His only known relative is a brother in Kaukauna.

New York, April 5.—[Special]—Mary Brady jumped into a bath-tub, turned on the water, and boiled herself to death last night.

WATER IS SUBSIDING

Slight Relief to the Flood-Stricken Region in the Southern Part of Illinois.

Cyprus Junction, Ill., April 5.—[Special]—The water fell four inches at Shawneetown today. Many flood refugees were taken to Evansville and Mount Vernon, to be cared for until they secure new homes. Others refuse to leave town. Telegraphic communication is not yet established. The property loss will amount to \$200,000. The latest estimate of lives lost places the number at one hundred. Several more bodies have been recovered, but no general effort is being made to recover the dead.

WEDDED IN CHRIST CHURCH

Nuptials of Miss Nellie M. Myers and Lewis F. Grant.

At Christ church at 11 o'clock Monday morning was solemnized the marriage of Miss Nellie Myers, of this city, to Lewis F. Grant, of Beloit, the Rev. A. H. Barrington officiating.

Edward Hayes, of Wauwatosa, acted as best man, while Miss Pearl Rbuby of Shannon, Ill., was bridesmaid.

Following the ceremony the happy couple were driven to the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Eliza M. Coon, 109 West Milwaukee street, where a tempting wedding repast was served.

Both bride and groom received the hearty congratulations of a host of relatives and friends. The bride is a Janesville girl, having always been exceedingly popular. The groom, formerly resided in this city, where he was engaged in the life insurance business prior to his removal to Beloit.

Among those present from out of the city were: Mrs. Richard Hayes and Edward Hayes, of Wauwatosa; Mrs. Ella VanAlstine, Salem; Mrs. Frank Rbuby and Miss Pearl Rbuby, of Shannon, Ill.

HELD FOR FUTURE TRIAL

B. C. Shaw Will Answer to the Charge of Selling Obscene Books.

B. C. Shaw, charged with selling obscene literature, was held for trial yesterday afternoon at the conclusion of his hearing in the municipal court. In default of \$50 bail he was remanded to jail, his trial being set for Saturday at 9 o'clock. A jury of twelve will determine whether or not the defendant is guilty. He acknowledges that he sold the books in dispute but maintains that they are not obscene.

Yesterday afternoon Horace McElroy, L. F. Patte, J. M. Whitehead, F. O. Burpee, F. L. Clemons, Drs. J. B. Whiting and James Mills, Capt. D. D. Wayne and Postmaster O. F. Nowlan were called, examined the book and gave their testimony, the balance of opinion seeming to be that the book was hardly fit to be placed in the hands of girls and boys.

BRISK LIVE STOCK MARKET

Horses Leave Here For Michigan and Cattle For Chicago

When the Michigan northbound freight on the Northwestern road pulls out of the city this evening, George Charlton will have aboard a car of fifteen horses bound for the Michigan pinneries.

Of late years Mr. Charlton has made several shipments to this section of the country, where there seems to be a good demand for good drivers and heavy draft stock.

Charles H. Stoller shipped a car of cattle to the Chicago market last evening.

HINRICHS TRAIN DISPATCHER

Is a Brother of P. L. Hinrichs, Formerly Located in This City.

Paul L. Hinrichs, the former local passenger and freight agent for the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul road, who is now located at Madison, has received the good news that his brother, W. B. Hinrichs, has been promoted to chief train dispatcher of the Prairie du Chien & Mineral Point division of the St. Paul system. W. B. Hinrichs is well known in this city, and a host of friends will extend congratulations.

BAGGED PLENTY OF GEESE

Good Luck of a Party of Hunters on Johnston Prairie.

Gus Gaston, of Beloit, Alva Russell, of this city, and a Chicago gentleman returned to this city Saturday after a two week hunt for wild geese on the prairie lands near Johnston. They had along one of the most complete hunting outfits that any hunter could wish for. They secured in all fifty-six geese.

OUT OF THE DISPUTE

M'KINLEY REJECTS HIS OFFER OF MEDIATION.

Says the American People Would Not Tolerate His Interference—Message Will Be Submitted to Congress at Noon Tomorrow—All Americans Receive Orders to Leave Cuba.

Rome, April 5.—[Special]—The pope received this morning a cablegram from President McKinley in which the intervention of the Pontiff in the Spanish trouble is declined. The message also contains a virtual declaration of the president's policy. He says it is impossible for him to overcome the prejudice entertained by the majority of the American people against the Vatican's intervention in political affairs. He also declares he is now and will continue to be against war, but he could not go against the sentiment of the nation, which demands the independence of Cuba and the cessation of the horrors of the unhappy island.

GOES TO CONGRESS TOMORROW.

McKinley Will Send a Vigorous Message to Both Houses.

Washington, April 5.—[Special]—The president's message will go to congress at noon tomorrow. The document is complete, and has been read to members of the cabinet. It is described as a vigorous document, which will make it absolutely clear to every one that Spain's rule in Cuba can no longer be tolerated, and that intervention on the part of the United States is a necessity. The president, however, will make no direct recommendation to congress. This inference will be drawn from the message will be that armed interference is inevitable unless Cuba's independence is granted. It is stated that by tomorrow noon nearly all Americans, including some consular agents, will have left Cuba. Consul General Lee will stay until the last.

The message means war, not armed intervention. It says specifically that the executive will co-operate with congress in any measure to meet the situation. Congress will be only too glad to assume full responsibility for the inauguration of hostilities.

SENATORS SPEAK WARMLY.

Condemn Spain's Treachery and Demand Reparation.

Washington, April 5.—[Special]—Turner, addressing the senate on his resolution directing the foreign relations committee to report in favor of armed intervention, said the president had nothing to do with the question of whether war shall be declared or not. That question rests exclusively with congress. He charged Spain directly with the destruction of the Maine.

Senator Harris declared in a speech for Cuban independence and armed intervention. Senator Kenney, of Delaware, is now speaking to the same effect.

AT NOON TOMORROW

Views of the President Will Be Laid Before Congress.

Washington, April 5.—[Special]—It is announced at the White House that the president's message will be sent to congress tomorrow noon.

Secretary Day and Senator Allison and Faye saw the president this morning.

EUROPEAN MEDIATION FAILS

England Refuses to Join the Other Powers in the Movement.

London, April 5.—[Special]—Great Britain, it is said, refuses to participate in a movement of the powers for joint mediation between the United States and Spain. This means the failure of European mediation.

THE PRESIDENT IS SUFFERING

Showing the Effects of the Strain Upon His Energies.

Washington, April 5.—[Special]—The president is said to be showing the effects of the strain he is undergoing. He is nervous and of late has suffered from insomnia.

AMERICANS MUST LEAVE

State Department Orders Their Removal From Cuba at Once

Washington, April 5.—[Special]—It is stated here on unquestionable authority that orders have been issued by the state department for the immediate withdrawal of the United States consuls in Cuba and such other Americans as have not already left.

Precautions Against Outbreak.

Havana, April 5.—[Special]—All the Spanish soldiers in Havana are kept in quarters and the greatest precautions are being taken to prevent an outbreak against the Americans. Preparations for war continue.

Philadelpia, April 5.—[Special]—The ram Kathadin has been ordered to put to sea immediately. Her destination is unknown.

No Armistice.

New York, April 5.—[Special]—The

WEATHER FORECAST

Chicago, April 5.—[Special]—

Forecast for Wisconsin:
Fair, continued cool tonight and Wednesday.

Tribune this morning says the insurgents will accept no armistice without the United States as the mediating party.

Spaniards Leaving Tampa.

Tampa, April 5.—[Special]—Spanish residents are leaving this city, despite guarantees of protection.

Keeps the Flag.

Washington, April 5.—[Special]—Government has granted Captain Sigbee the privilege of keeping the flag which floated at the masthead of the Maine when the vessel went down.

POWERS IS AGAIN IN HOCK

Mayor of Afton Took Too Much Liquor For His Good

Mayor John Powers, of Afton, is once more behind the bars of the Rock county jail. Yesterday afternoon he came to Janesville with the intention of doing some trading and returning on the evening train. After doing his marketing he fell in with a lot of drinkers, and soon his honor was in the hands of the police.

Mayor Powers has of late been acting the part of a sober man, and the local police officers had made up their minds that he must have mended his ways, but such was not the case.

WORKERS FOR TEMPERANCE

Preparations Made for the Coming Beauchamp Lecture

Good Templars met in regular session last evening, and the following officers were appointed to prepare for the L. J. Beauchamp lecture: F. O. Humphrey, J. W. Webb, Charles Penny, Charles Ward, E. M. Baker, H. R. Granger.

Miss Kate Humphrey, a member of the lodge, attended the meeting of last evening after an absence of several months.

Colonel Demery, grand chief temple of Kentucky, will accompany Mr. Beauchamp to this city.

HAS BOUGHT A NEW HOME

George G. Sutherland Has Purchased the Wheelock Residence

George G. Sutherland, of the legal firm of Sutherland & Nolan, has purchased the W. G. Wheelock home at the corner of East and South First streets. The consideration was \$11,000. It is one of the finest dwellings as well as one of the most valuable residence spots in Janesville.

Mr. Sutherland will shortly occupy the dwelling, while its present occupants will move into the home on East street now occupied by Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Sheidon.

AFTER MINNESOTA WHEAT

Janesville Miller Goes to the Northwest to Purchase

J. M. Shackleton, the local miller, left this morning for a tour of the Dakotas and Minnesota in search of wheat. "I suppose I could buy this wheat just as well right here in Janesville by telegraph," said Mr. Shackleton this morning, "but I believe that I may be better off in the end by seeing just what I am buying. This is his first trip in the sect on which in years past has been worked exclusively by agents of the large milling plants at Minneapolis.

LOST THEIR LOVED ONE

Death of the Infant Child of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fellows.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fellows, 254 North Bluff street, which was made happy Saturday by the appearance of a daughter, was shrouded in sorrow today, the spirit of life having left the loved one at 5 o'clock last evening.

The interment took place this afternoon in the town of Janesville cemetery. The bereaved parents have the sympathy of a large circle of friends.

DEATH OF MISS MARION SEARS

Well Known Young Lady of Shopiere Dies in Washington.

Shopiere, April 5.—[Special]—A. D. Carter received a telegram from Centralis, Washington, last Monday, announcing the death of his niece, Miss Marion Sears. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Sears, who are well known in this community, and have the sympathy of a large circle of friends here in their sad affliction.

Missouri Mission.

"Kitty is such a happy woman."

"Why?"

"She thinks her husband is jealous of every man she knows."—Chicago Record.

Obliged to Refuse.

Dick—I'm going to the races. Want me to put up something for you?

George—I haven't a cent, Dick. I was there yesterday.—N. Y. Weekly.

The Other Name.

"What funny people you are up north!" said the little boy from Florida. "You call a risin' on the back of the neck a boil."—Chicago Tribune.

The Mean Thing.

Penelope—Jack danced with me last night.

Marie—Yes? It was a charity ball, wasn't it?—N. Y. Truth.

AMERICANS FLEE FROM SPANISH FURY

PANIC PREVAILS IN THE COLONY AT HAVANA

Fear That Citizens of the Republic Will be Massacred—President's Message Was Delayed for Their Protection—Boats Sent to Their Relief.

Key West, April 5.—[Special]—Reports from Havana say a panic exists in the American quarter. Everybody is anxious to sail for home, but the boats cannot accommodate all. All American vessels in the harbor will be chartered by the United States and all Americans who wish to depart can do so at the government's expense.

It is said the president refused to send his message to congress today for fear that our consuls in Cuba would be murdered as soon as the contents of the message became known in Cuba. For this reason he decided to send boats to Havana to bring home all the consuls and other Americans who wish to come. The departure will be made shortly before the message is sent to congress on Wednesday.

CONCERNED FOR THEIR SAFETY

President's Message Delayed to Enable Americans to Leave Cuba.

Washington, April 5.—[Special]—The president intended sending his message to congress today, but as parts of it are said to be taken from the report of General Lee and Americans in Spain, it is not deemed wise to make it public before they are safely out of the island. Even as it is much anxiety is felt here for Americans in Cuba, for it is considered not at all unlikely that hostile demonstrations may be made against them before they vacate, and they may not be able to escape.

THE CASE IN A NUTSHELL

What Congress and the President Will Bring About

Chicago, April 5.—The Washington correspondent of the Tribune telegraphs as follows:

The independence of Cuba is certain.

War is not so sure.

Congress is firm.

The president is uncertain what course to recommend. He has started work on his message, which will go to congress on Tuesday or Wednesday, and the first day rather than the second.

NEWS FROM NEARBY NEIGHBORHOODS

INCOMINGS AND OUTGOINGS OF ROCK COUNTY PEOPLE.

Gossip of a Personal and Business Character Gleaned By Gazette Reporters in the Garden Spot of Wisconsin — Religious and Social Notes.

(THE GAZETTE AGENCY, W. W. CLARKE, Manager, MILTON, WIS. APRIL 5, 1898.) The business of the St. Paul company at this station for the month of March aggregated the handsome sum of \$2,350.18. We venture the prediction that the new system of the St. Paul system makes as good a showing.

Dr. O. H. Wetland wife, of Farina, Ill., who came here with the body of Mr. West's mother on Friday, will spend the week with Milton relatives and friends.

Miss Lettie Reynolds has been in Chicago several days securing her spring stock of millinery. Mrs. Kate E. Miller accompanied her. Supt. J. B. Borden, of the Marfield city schools, is at home this week enjoying a vacation. He will remain at Marshfield another year.

Miss Annie Chapman, of Madison, who has been stopping in the village for several weeks, returned to the Capital City Saturday.

The highways were full of wheels Sunday, every cyclist being anxious to enjoy a spin. The wheeling is rather rough, however.

Miss Tilda Rodolph and Emil Kumm, of Janesville, were united in marriage at an early hour Monday morning by Justice Sillman.

Banker Green has four Bramah pullets that laid forty-nine eggs in thirteen days. Can any of you beat the figures?

Mr. Burno and wife, of Chicago, who came here with the remains of Burno's mother returned to that city Sunday.

Miss Nettie Spaulding and Prof. J. T. Palmer represented Milton at the Watertown Teachers' convention.

Some grain has already been sown in this locality, but most farmers are waiting for the advent of spring.

Mrs. L. C. Burdick returned to Algonquin, Ill., Sunday morning, after a brief visit with Milton friends.

Miss Bertha Frost, who has been in Chicago during the winter, is at home again.

Mrs. Kate Walker, who has been in town for a few days, returned to Brodhead today.

Arthur Ayers, of Delavan, was in the village Monday.

Winter blasts sang sad requiems over the hopes of early garden makers Monday night.

O. W. Bullock spent Sunday in the village.

Afton.

Afton, April 5.—Town of Rock republicans nominated a town ticket at Lawton's hall, last Saturday afternoon. Benjamin Bleasdale acted as chairman of the caucus and U. G. Waite as secretary. G. C. Antisdal and M. A. Hayner were appointed tellers. The following ticket was chosen with great unanimity: Supervisors—Chairman, W. J. Miller; east side, Fred Damrow; west side, J. A. Gunn; town clerk, F. P. Starr; treasurer, G. B. Osgood; assessor, F. H. Otis; justices of the peace, W. M. Lawton, three years; S. E. Otis, two years; M. A. Hayner, one year; constables, Fred Holzappel, John Marsh, Peter Drafsahl; poundmaster, L. H. Miller. The democrats held their caucus Monday evening, and it was largely attended. John Golden acted as chairman, while W. L. Finley kept the minutes. Thomas Dillon and C. J. Kilmer served as tellers. The ticket chosen was as follows: Supervisors—Chairman, C. E. Uehling; east side, C. J. Kilmer; west side, James Connell; town clerk, Fred Kethelhof; treasurer, G. S. Otis; assessor, A. F. Ellison; justices of the peace, John Kilmer, James McCooney; constables, Joseph Williams, William Baker. The following town committee was named: William Brinkman, John Golden and O. H. Griffin. The Baptist pulpit was occupied last Sunday by Professor Robert J. Eddy, of Beloit. It is expected that Pastor McCaw will preach next Sunday. U. G. Waite has received his commission as postmaster at this place and expects soon to enter upon his duties. Charles J. Kilmer moved last week onto his recently acquired farm, the old Parkhurst place. William Brinkman and daughter, Frances, returned Monday from their visit with Illinois relatives. Mrs. E. Searls, of Harvard, Ill., was a former resident of this vicinity and is quite well known to many of our citizens.

A PURE GRAPE CREAM OF TARTAR POWDER

DR. PRICES' CREAM BAKING POWDER

Highest Honors, World's Fair Gold Medal, Midwinter Fair

zans. Mrs. Nellie McOrea and son, Willie, are visiting with Chicago friends. Superintendent David Thorne attended the annual meeting of the Southeastern Teachers' Association at Watertown last week. On Monday and Tuesday of this week he conducted a teachers' examination at the public school building in this place. A. S. Pankhurst and family have moved to Janesville to reside. J. B. Humphrey expects to leave for Madison on Wednesday of this week, having been drawn as a petit juror in the United States court. Venerable Consul Frank P. Starr is selected to represent Afton Woodmen at the annual meeting of the Northern Illinois and Southern Wisconsin picnic association to be held at Rockford this week. The delegates to this meeting will select the date for holding the big picnic at Rockford this year, and the place for next year's outing will also be determined. Afton Camp voted to attend the Rockford picnic in a body. Mrs. J. I. Humphrey is on the sick list at this writing. All Afton would like to fight Spain if talk is any indication. The war spirit runs high, and everybody is patriotic.

Tiffany.

Canvass W. Hopkins, an old resident of Shopiere, died on the morning of the 28th ult. at the home of B. H. Smith in La Prairie. His age was 67 years and 10 months; cause of death, heart disease.

Mr. Hopkins came with his parents to Wisconsin in 1830, his father occupying one of the three frame houses in Beloit. The family moved to Shopiere in 1842. Mr. Hopkins was one of the emigrants to California in 1850, and passed several years there and in Australia, engaged in mining. In 1864 he was engaged in the painting business in Janesville. Eau Claire, and also in Lyons, Iowa, and Missouri Valley, where he was for many years superintendent of the painting department of the car works. He was an artistic workman and designer, in which line he had few superiors. The funeral took place on Tuesday afternoon at the residence of B. H. Smith. Many of our citizens attended the fortieth anniversary of the Clinton Congregational church.

Eugene Smith and wife have commenced housekeeping in Mr. Chamberlain's house on the Creek road. Mr. Smith and wife are heartily welcomed by the community. We have received a lot of seeds from the Agricultural department. As there is not a kind that we could not buy anywhere, and all are kinds we have planted many times, we fail to see a particle of benefit to anyone in their distribution. If the department would send out something new and untried, for testing either of grains, vegetables, fruits or flowers, it would be doing a good work, but Wethersfield onions, common beets or carrots—a perfect humbug. For the benefit of those desiring good winter apples, we would from experience and observation say Set out Windsor Chief, Northwestern Greening, Flushing Spitznberg, Malindo, Newells, Winter and Minkler which top grafted is sure—in most locations—a great bearer and a fine apple. The writer has fine successes with Grimes' Golden, but it will not do in all locations. Mr. Henry Reamer expects to purchase the George Dear home near the depot. Price \$2,000 for forty-three acres. On every farm plows are running, and some have sown oats and wheat.

Lima Center

Lima Center, April 5.—Mrs. Carlsoe, of Footville, visited her sister-in-law, Mrs. Chapman, from Thursday until Saturday. Mrs. Jones and sons, Rollie and Harold, visited in Whitewater part of last week. Mrs. Ray and children, of Monticello, stopped off at Lima over Sunday, while on her way to Raymond, where her husband is to preach the coming year. Fred Truman, of Janesville, spent Sunday at home. Dr. S. Nelson is quite seriously ill at the present writing. Dr. Miller, of Whitewater, was called to see him Sunday. Not long since we read of a Wisconsin boy aged fourteen years shooting a wild goose. Lima can beat that. Friday afternoon Master Willie Bennett, aged eleven years, shot and killed a large one. Willie is a man now. Mrs. Glennan is the happy possessor of a new wheel. Rev. Mr. Thayer was unable to fill his pulpit Sunday on account of a funeral. Mr. Whitney, of Newville, took his place. Mr. Richardson, of Newville, attended church here last Sunday. Mr. Larnar's family have vacated Mrs. Bray's house and moved to Fort Atkinson.

North Johnston.

North Johnston, April 5.—W. H. Newton, who has been suffering from injuries received by being kicked by a horse last week, is better. The W. C. T. U. meeting will be held by Mrs. H. O. Osborn Thursday afternoon of next week. Willie Bennett shot a fine large wild goose last week. Mrs. Laura Shumway and daughter, Mrs. Lettie Coy, returned from Waukesha, Tuesday. The baby of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Webber, was buried at Johnston Center, Tuesday. The Brotherhood girls, of Milton, were callers in this place, Saturday. Rev. G. R. Chambers, of Milton, will deliver his lecture, "The Railroad to Hell" at the M. E. church at Utter's Corners, Thursday evening next, April 7. A collection will be taken. Music by the male quartet. The cold freezing nights are greatly retarding the spring work. A full house greeted the medal contest at Utter's Corners Saturday evening, which was greatly enjoyed by all present. The music by the male quartet was a special feature of the evening entertainment, and received hearty applause and frequent encores. The contestants acquitted themselves very creditably indeed. The medal

was awarded to Charles Woodstock. These contests are awakening a good deal of enthusiasm, and are a source of great profit to those who take part in them. Mrs. Myrta Rice and children, of Delavan, spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warner Hadley. Miss Grace Roe has been on the sick list for a week past. Hazel and Edith Palmer, of Whitewater, were callers in this place Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Kenyon, of Whitewater, and Harry Leonard's family, were at O. W. Bennett's Sunday. Rush Howard's children are having a siege with the measles. Mrs. Vaughn and children visited in Whitewater Friday. Maud Dickinson was on the sick list last week. Mrs. H. R. Osborne has secured the agency for "The Beautiful Life of Frances E. Willard", and would be glad to take the names of all who wish a copy.

BENJAMIN FRANKLIN GIFFORD

Death of an Old Resident of Orfordville

Benjamin Franklin Gifford was born at Summer Hill, Onondaga Co., N. Y., on April 12, 1825, and died at his home in Orfordville, Wis., on Wednesday morning, March 30, 1898, aged 72 years, 11 months and 8 days. In 1841 he came to this county with his parents, who settled in Spring Valley, which until his death remained the home of Mr. Gifford, thus making him one of the oldest settlers in Spring Valley.

On Dec. 25, 1851 he was married to Miss Mary C. Wright, of Oxford, Champaign county, N. Y. Six children were born to them, four of which, three boys and one girl preceded the departed in death.

He was taken sick on Monday, March 21, 1898. Medical aid was at once called, and everything possible was done to relieve him of the extreme pain, and to save him for his mourning loved ones, but it was impossible to keep him—the summons from his maker had to be obeyed.

Eulogy can neither add to nor subtract from the esteem in which the deceased was held as a citizen and friend. One proof of the regard for him is the fact that for nearly twenty years he held public offices in this town and county.

A wife, two daughters, Mrs. Charles Egan, of Plymouth, Wis., and Mrs. Isaac Fairhurst, of Cobb, Iowa county, Wis., two sisters, one brother, and many more distant relatives, remain to mourn his departure. Though his lips are silent and his presence has passed, he will long remain in the memory of his friends, who surely shall miss him.

The funeral service was held at the M. E. church on Friday afternoon, April 1, 1898, conducted by the Rev. H. Slidel, who spoke from the words, "Arise, ye, depart: for this is not your rest." Micah, 2:10. Messrs. H. L. Smiley, W. F. Gavey, J. P. Libbey, George Long, Hy. Egan and S. L. Taylor acted as pall bearers, and Messdames Wesley Jones and C. Dunn, Miss Flora Helmbolt, and Messrs. R. Egan and Jno. Beck conducted the singing. The interment was in the Orfordville cemetery.

WANT PAY FOR THEIR SHOES

Receiver of a Bankrupt Firm Sued By Chicago Parties.

Before the circuit court of Rock county yesterday morning a motion was made to compel C. O. Bennett, as receiver for Bennett & Luby, to pay an alleged shoe debt amounting to \$105 to a Chicago shoe manufacturing firm. Judge John K. Bennett overruled the motion, but gave the plaintiff right to bring an action against said receiver.

The Chicago firm claim that they still have due from the firm of Bennett & Luby an unpaid balance of \$106 on a bill. The local firm claim that the shoes were not accepted when sent here, but were immediately shipped back to Chicago.

The taking of testimony on the part of the plaintiff in a mortgage suit of Allison vs. Allison was commenced. The mortgage involves \$300 and costs.

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Vacation of North Street Engages a Goodly Share of Attention—Proposed Adoption of Part of the Uniform Charter—Street Improvements Ordered.

Mayor Thoroughgood presided at the regular meeting of the common council held last evening, and reported in reference to the request of the board of education for money to pay for the new addition on the Adams school building that the money had been provided without borrowing.

A bill of William Ruger for \$598.08 for services in connection with proceedings against persons having buildings on the bridge was presented, together with Mr. Ruger's explanation that he had reduced the price of his services to \$10 a day, and that in many instances he did not charge for the full time employed.

Vacating North Street

A petition to vacate North street was referred to the highway and bridge committee.

City Attorney McElroy stated that proper notice had been filed and proof filed in the city clerk's office. More than two-thirds of the property owners interested had signed the petition.

Ald. McLean introduced an order regarding the vacation of North street, which was adopted, all voting except Ald. Stoddard, who voted no.

The usual weekly bills were reported and allowed.

Alderman Miltmore, from the highway and bridge committee, asked that the matter of the grading of South Second street be referred to the aldermen of the ward.

Alderman Miltmore introduced an ordinance relative to the adoption of a portion of the uniform charter, which received its first and second readings and laid over under the rules.

Orders Passed

By Alderman McLean—An order directing the street commissioner to make some necessary repairs on the south end of Western avenue. Adopted.

By Alderman Burnham—An order directing the city clerk to draw an order on the city treasurer, payable from the general fund, in favor of Pliny Novices, for \$54.15, being a rebate on state and county tax for 1897 on a valuation of \$7,000 as allowed by the council on his city tax of 1897, at the regular meeting of December 27, 1897. Adopted.

By Alderman Field—An order to repair Washington street from Magolia avenue north, and Magolia avenue from Washington street west to the city limits. Adopted.

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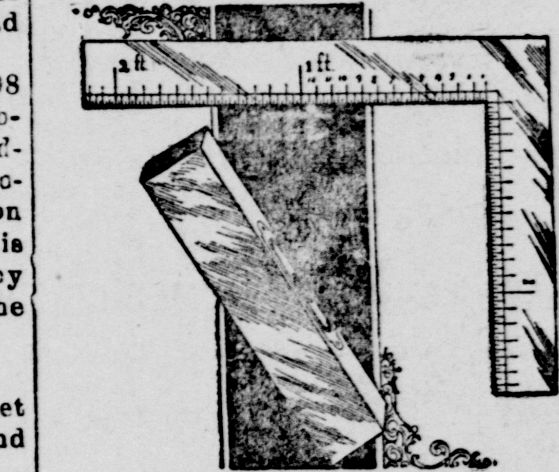
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ALREADY MANY HAVE QUIT.

Operators Refuse to Acknowledge the Interstate Agreement—Nothing Short of This Can Avert a General Suspension of Coal Mining.

Pittsburg, April 5.—All indications point to a general suspension of coal mining along the Monongahela river, and by Wednesday it is expected 10,000 diggers will be on a strike.

The operators have been requested by the miners to acknowledge the interstate agreement and comply with its terms. Thus far only a portion of the firms have acceded to the demands, and the others propose to fight it out with their employees and the United Mine Workers' association. Nothing short of the operators complying with the conditions of the Chicago agreement can avert a general strike, and it is probable the river operators will experience a shut-down similar to that which the railroad operators had on their hands last summer.

Already 2,000 diggers have struck, and 3,000 are expected to quit work. On Wednesday a monster meeting is scheduled, and it is almost a certainty that the strike will be made general at that time.

The operators say they were not parties to the interstate agreement, and do not propose to live up to its terms.

Strike Is Ordered.

Wheeling, W. Va., April 5.—The conference between the miners and operators of the Wheeling district concerning the Chicago scale ended in a disagreement, and a strike in all the mines involving 2,000 men, was ordered by the district board. The operators would not consent to replacing existing screens with the size called for by the Chicago agreement.

Miners Must Go Back.

Massillon, Ohio, April 5.—President Hatchford of the United Mine Workers of America declares the strike of the Massillon miners unreasonable and uncalled for. Steps will be taken to bring it to a close immediately.

The Best Linctment.—"Chamberlain's Pain Balm is the finest on earth," write Edwards & Parker, of Plains, Ga. This is the verdict of all who use it. For rheumatism, lame back, sprains, swellings and the numerous slight ailments and accidents common to every household, this liniment has no equal. With it in the house, a great deal of pain and suffering may be avoided. For sale by People's Drug Company, corner Main and Milwaukee street.

Communication Cut Off.

Cypress Junction, Ill., April 5.—Telegraph wires and telephone connections are all broken.

Four feet of the front levee remains out of water. To this slight hope for life cling the survivors, all fighting for a foothold.

The town being surrounded by a levee, all bodies will be recovered when the waters recede.

Frank Robinson and Marshall Callcott, in a skiff, rescued sixty-seven people from floating debris and saw many drowned. Cyrus Devers rescued thirteen people, among them three little children floating on a house roof. The father and mother had perished.

Michigan Democrats Make Gains. Detroit, April 5.—Municipal elections were held Monday in all Michigan cities except Detroit and Port Huron. Democrats showed decided gains in most of the larger cities, but republicans retained control in a majority of the smaller ones.

The two-year-old son of W. L. Ferguson, of Boston, Mass., had whooping cough. "After several physicians had prescribed for him without giving relief," writes Mr. Ferguson, "I persuaded my wife to try a 25 cent bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. The first dose had the desired effect, and in forty eight hours he was entirely free of all cough. I consider your remedy the best in the market, especially for children and recommend it at all times." The 25 and 50 cent size for sale by People's Drug Co., corner Main and Milwaukee street.

Notified to Leave Cuba.

Havana, April 5.—Citizens of the United States who are in this city have been notified by General Lee to be ready to leave Cuba at once. The consul general has been authorized by the state department at Washington to charter any British vessel, if he cannot get an American vessel, to take those away who claim protection of the United States. General Lee now concedes that war with Spain is inevitable and may break out at any time.

Sampson Makes His Plans.

New York, April 5.—A Key West dispatch to the Morning Journal says: "Captain Sampson and the council of officers on board the New York have completed the plan of a naval campaign against Havana. It is being printed and will be given to each commanding officer in the fleet."

Polo to Be Given Passports.

Madrid, April 5.—The Imperial said Monday it was expected in official circles that Senor Polo, the Spanish minister to the United States, would receive his passports from the Washington government Tuesday.

Plan to Mobilize the Army.

Washington, April 5.—General plans have been made by the war department for mobilizing the entire standing army of the country in the Chickamauga National Park, Tenn.

Negotiations Not Resumed.

Washington April 5.—An official announcement was authorized at the white house that negotiations with Spain had not been resumed.

BIMETALLISTS WILL MEET.

Annual Convention of Ohio Valley Free-Silver Men in Indianapolis. Indianapolis, Ind., April 5.—The annual meeting of the League of Bimetallic clubs of the Ohio valley will open here Wednesday and continue through Thursday. Eight hundred clubs in Indiana, Illinois, Ohio and Kentucky have indicated that they will send delegates. Three thousand delegates are expected.

William J. Bryan, who will make the chief address, will arrive tonight. On account of the critical situation at Washington Senator Jones and Senator Butler, who were invited, will not be here.

Chairman Towne of the free-silver republican committee is coming, and George Fred Williams of Massachusetts will be one of the speakers.

RULERS ARE DISPLEASED.

Britain's Lease of Wei-Hai-Wei Not Looked Upon Cordially.

London, April 5.—It is semi-officially announced that Great Britain has made arrangements with China to take over the port of Wei-Hai-Wei, on the Shang-Tung peninsula, when the Chinese government has paid the war indemnity due Japan and the Japanese troops have evacuated the place.

It is said on good authority that neither Russia nor Germany is pleased at the arrangement, and it is added that the island of Leu-Kung-Tau, at the entrance of Wei-Hai-Wei, will be strongly fortified. It is said to be capable of being successfully defended, while the land batteries destroyed by the Japanese can speedily be reconstructed.

For a War Fund in Michigan.

Lansing, Mich., April 5.—At the suggestion of Gov. Pingree two bills have been drafted by Representative Chamberlain for immediate presentation to the legislature, which will reconvene tonight. The bills provide for an appropriation of \$500,000 for war purposes and for increasing the limit of membership of each company of the Michigan national guard from eighty to 150. This increase will be made only in case of war. The appropriation will be covered by an issue of bonds limited to twenty years, the state to have the option of paying at the end of five years or any time thereafter.

To Be Used for Defense.

Old Port Comfort, Va., April 5.—It is said that Commodore Schley has received an intimation from the navy department that his flying squadron, so-called, would be given defensive and protective work in the event of hostilities and that it was not the program to send it far from the American coast, or, in fact, from Hampton roads. The squadron's functions will be, it is now planned, to intercept any fleet that attempts to gain entrance to Chesapeake bay, having Washington, Baltimore, Annapolis or Norfolk as its objective points.

Strike On at Chicago.

Chicago, April 5.—Five thousand union carpenters packed away their tools yesterday and in accordance with the instructions of their organizations did not report for duty at the buildings where they have been employed. A complete tie-up of structural carpenter work throughout the city was effected, and the leaders declare work will not be resumed until the Carpenters' and Builders' association accedes to their demands. The fight will be long and bitter.

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Dons Need Money.

London, April 5.—According to the Daily Telegraph the great volume of depreciated Spanish securities has been increased by another large issue. The Telegraph has a dispatch from Madrid announcing that the Bank of Spain has put out \$100,000,000 additional notes.

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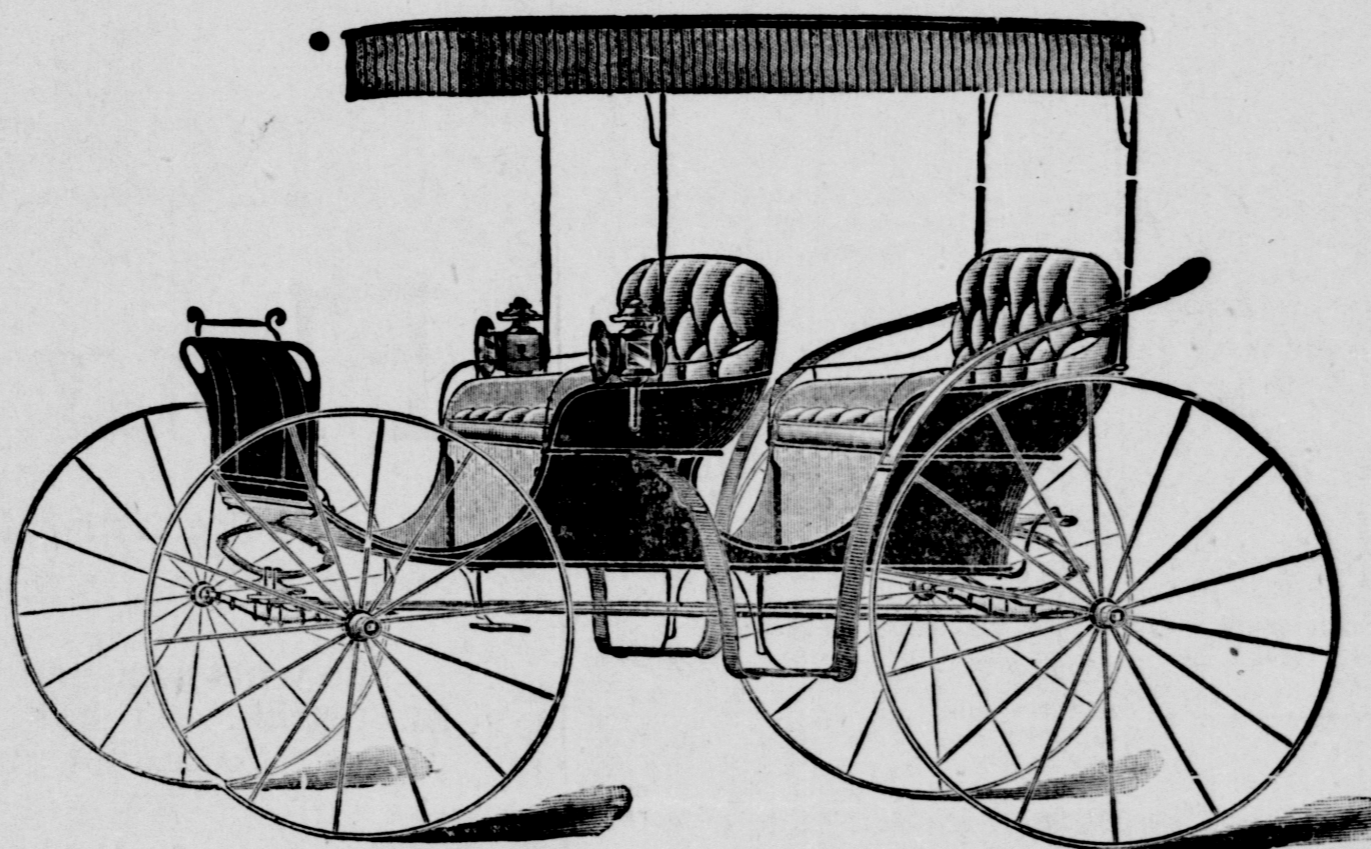
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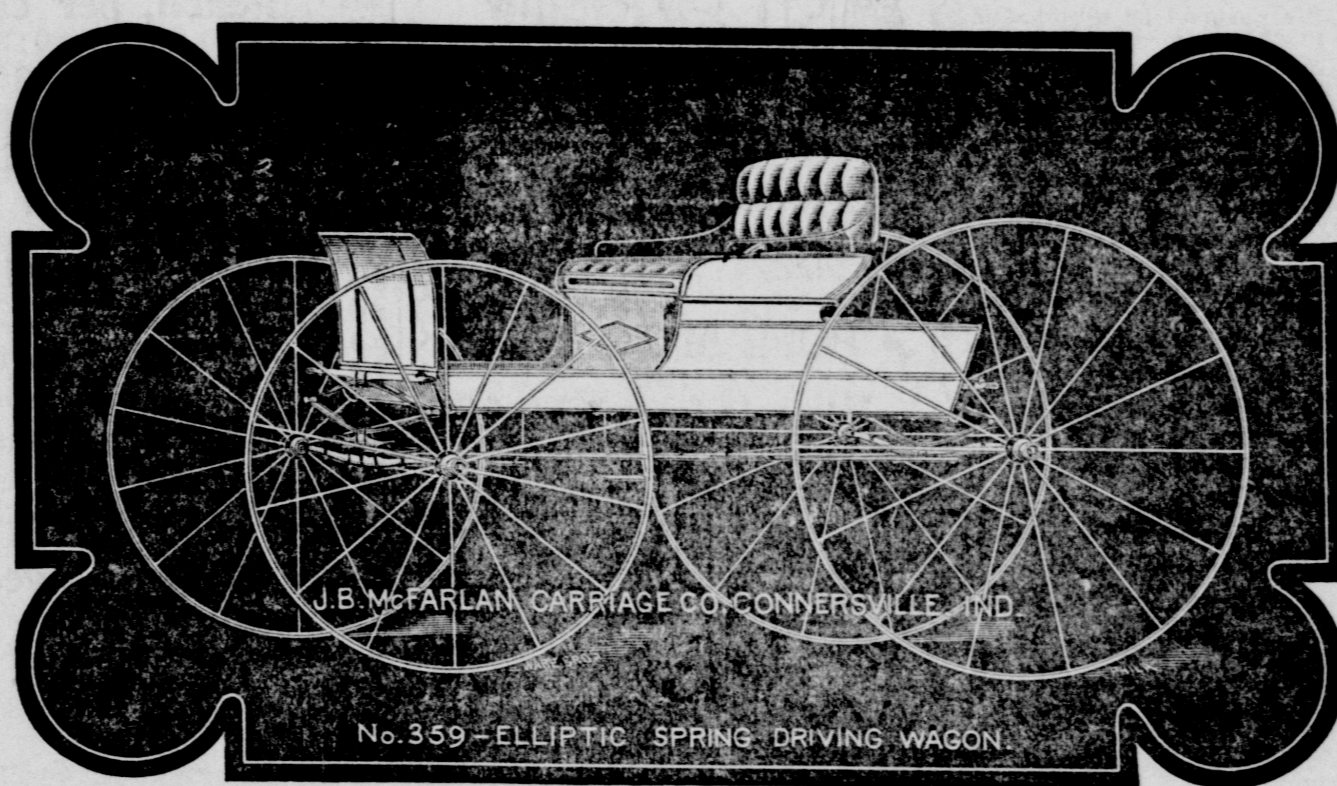


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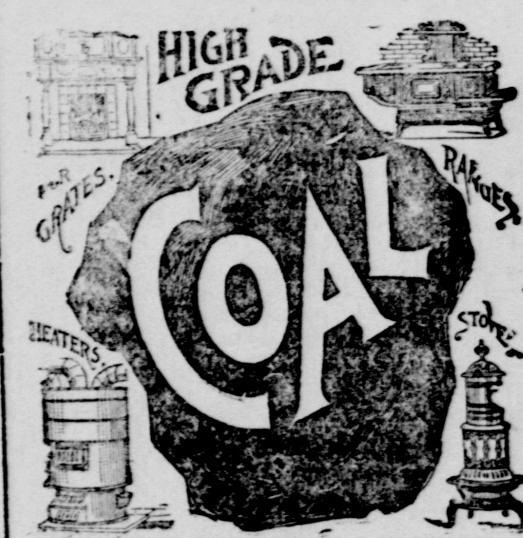


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March 21, 1898.

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election precincts of the city of Janesville, on
the fifth day of April, 1898, at which the officers
named below are to be chosen:

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A city attorney.
A street commissioner.
A school commissioner at large.
A justice of the peace.
An adderman, supervisor and constable in
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A school commissioner in the Second and
Fourth ward.
The polls at the several precincts will be open
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The precincts of the several wards are located
as follows:
First precinct, First ward, building owned by
the city on north river street, north of engine
house.
Second precinct, First ward, building owned
by the city on Terrace street, on the land of
Groff estate.
First precinct, Second ward, building owned
by John Lineau, at No. 34, North Main street.
Second precinct, Second ward, building owned
by John Thoroughgood, at the north-west corner
of Fourth avenue and North Main street.
First precinct, Third ward, building owned by
W. B. Conrad, near east end of Court street
bridge.
Second precinct, Third ward, building owned
by the city on Racine street, east of and near
South Main street.
First precinct, Fourth ward, at No. 3 South
Franklin street.
Second precinct, Fourth ward, at No. 33
South Academy street.
Fifth ward, building owned by the city on
Holmes street, near Center avenue.
By order of the Common Council.
A. E. BADGER,
City Clerk.

Warned By Smell of Smoke

The many fires of late have made people think
about their insurance—the companies in which
it is written, and the amount covered. The
good business man does not forget that his
property may go next. He does not expose him-
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First Ward.
Alderman..... Frank E. Fifield
Supervisor..... W. W. Porter
Constable..... H. B. Kenniston

Second Ward.
Alderman..... William Burchell
Supervisor..... C. D. Child
School Commissioner..... F. L. Clemons
Justable..... A. K. Cutts

Third Ward.
Alderman..... Ed. F. Carpenter
Supervisor..... J. L. Bear
Constable..... Wallace Cochran

Fourth Ward.
Alderman..... W. G. Palmer
Supervisor..... W. H. H. Macdon
School Commissioner..... A. G. Anderson
Constable..... C. N. Rike

Fifth Ward.
Alderman..... W. S. Jones
Supervisor..... W. G. Brandt
Constable..... Edward Smith

THIS DAY IN HISTORY

1685-Catherine I of Russia was born; died 1721; empress 1725. Russia's first Catherine was not Catherine the Great. Catherine I succeeded Peter the Great in 1725 and reigned two years. Her life story is obscure and seems to have been romantic. As the wife of a Swedish sailor, Peter the Great was attracted to her by her beauty and in 1711 acknowledged her as his wife. She accompanied him on his Turkish campaign and rendered important service as a diplomatist. He caused her to be crowned empress in 1724.
1794-Leading Jacobins, including Danton and Camille Desmoulins, guillotined at Paris.
1835-Thompson McDaniels, a veteran of the Black Hawk war, also a pioneer settler of Kansas, died; born 1835.
1897-Orrington Lunt, noted pioneer and philanthropist, died in Evanston, Ill.; born 1815.

IT IS A MONEY MAKER.

Receipts averaging more than \$1,900,000 per day under the Dingley law are shown by the figures for February, the total for the twenty-eight days being \$29,573,538.

The receipts of February, 1897, under the Wilson-Gorman law were \$24,400,997, a difference of \$4,171,541 in favor of the Dingley law.

The receipts from customs alone during the month of February, 1898, were \$15,040,680, against \$11,587,260 for the Wilson-Gorman law during the same month a year ago.

The expenditures for the month of February were \$26,729,010, leaving an actual surplus of \$1,843,528. This is the first surplus since the election of President Cleveland and his free-trade congress.

The average daily receipts for February were \$1,020,447, this being more than \$17,000 a day in excess of the average daily expenditures during the last five years.

The total receipts under the Dingley law have gained steadily from August, 1897, to February, 1898, inclusive, the average daily receipts showing an increase every month over the receipts of the preceding month. Thus, for August last the daily receipts averaged \$629,794; for September, \$731,103; for October, \$686,819; for November \$838,966; for December, \$901,115; for January, \$934,684; and for February \$1,020,447.

Comparative receipts under the Wilson and Dingley laws for the first seven months of their operation are given by the American Economist as follows:

	Wilson Law.	Dingley Law.
First month.....	\$22,621,228	\$19,023,614
Second month.....	19,139,240	21,933,098
Third month.....	19,411,403	24,391,415
Fourth month.....	21,868,136	25,168,915
Fifth month.....	21,804,359	27,391,494
Sixth month.....	22,888,067	28,795,227
Seventh month.....	24,217,836	28,572,538

Total.....\$159,201,028 \$175,818,731
Balance in favor of Dingley law, \$16,615,743.

The law that provides a surplus of revenue over expenditure while at the same time defending American industries from foreign competition is a good law.

SPANISH JINGOES IN THE DARK

General Alas, a Spanish military authority, says that ultimate victory for the United States in a war with Spain would be certain. The Americans might get the worst of a few naval engagements, he figures, but that would not count in the end. In the meantime, Gen. Alas holds, Uncle Sam would capture Cuba and Porto Rico. Spain would thus lose the islands and gain absolutely nothing.

That Spain should give up the islands, save the lives of her sailors, and the expense of a war with a powerful and resourceful nation like the United States, would seem, according to Gen. Alas' reasoning, the best course to pursue. But Gen. Alas will have a hard time, apparently, to convince his countrymen that he states the case correctly. The Spanish "jingoes" seem to think that the United States is a wilderness, inhabited by bears and Indians, and that fifty Spanish soldiers were landed in this country, the population would take to the woods. If the Spaniards would send a board of inquiry to America to look over the country, the verdict

would be quickly rendered that the explosion was external, and that Cuba should be free.

Finding the North pole is but a pastime in comparison with the task of getting authentic figures with reference to the city's street work. The business firm that figured from the kind of record that the city keeps would be in an assignee's hands in less than six months. In justice to Alderman McKee it should be said that the flood damages in the Third ward were repaired in July and September, 1897, as the orders introduced by him show. When you want to find out anything about city's street work, go and ask Tom, Dick or Harry and the information will be about as reliable as you will find anywhere else.

Editor Gazette-Is the Victor Emanuel Southworth who is now "wringing his hands," as the newspapers say, at Denver, the same Victor Emanuel Southworth who charged all voters to brush their teeth and black their shoes before going to the polls to vote? CONSTANT READER.

Yes. It is the same Victor Emanuel Southworth.
General Daniel E. Sickles, the former United States minister to Spain, says he thinks the Don are, to use an army term, "making a bluff," and that they have no idea of mixing up with Uncle Sam.

Regardless of the fact that no special police were sworn in today no "rioting or bloodshed at the polls" had been reported up to 3:30 o'clock this afternoon.

The Denver newspapers are silent on the point of whether or not the Rev. Mr. Southworth brushed his teeth before leaving Greeley with Mrs. Jastrowitz.

Terrible slaughter was a feature of the last engagement of the Chicago Tribune-Spanish war which is now raging so fiercely.

The Rev. Mr. Southworth is probably getting used to finding his churches locked against him, but tar and feather-ugh!

People will now hold their breath pending the announcement that "M. Zola's new book has been issued from the press."

And now it is all over but the shouting.

LANDRETH's seeds are every one new, no old stock. The old rubbish is burned each season, one great reason why Landreth's are best. Sanborn.

WANTED

FREE TEA SET-Ladies, send us your full address plainly written, and we will express you 75 of our sweet and exquisite Arabian Perfume Packets (in powder form, to sent gloves, handkerchiefs, etc.) to sell among friends, at 10 cents each. When sold, remit us the money (after deducting express charges) and we will send you for your trouble, a lovely decorated English tea set of 56 pieces (full size for family use). Each set is artistically decorated in colors, tasteful leaf and flower pattern. The shapes are of latest style, which every lady will appreciate. Order at once a dime nearest express office. Address Arabian Perfume Co., Bridgeport, Conn.

WANTED-Agents to sell Murat Halstead's Great Cuba book; all about Cuba, Spain and War; great excitement; everyone buys it; one agent sold 87 in one day; another made \$13 one hour; 600 pages; magnificent illustrations; photographs, etc.; low price; we guarantee most liberal terms; freight paid; 20 days' credit; outfit free; end 6 two-cent stamps to pay postage. Bible House, 324 Dearborn St., Chicago.

WANTED-Girl for general housework, and young girl to take care of children, to Milwaukee Ave.

WANTED-Competent girl for general housework. Enquire Phillips N. Academy St. grocery.

WANTED to rent, 10 or 12-room house with barn, May 1. M. F. Green.

If you have any odd jobs of work you want well done, we can send you a good man promptly. Drop us a card, or telephone No. 87. Valentine's School of Telegraphy.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT-Seven room house, in good repair and nicely situated. Enquire at 158 Cornelia St., second ward.

VACATED May 1st, a nine room house. Enquire at 4 Carol ne street.

TO RENT-April 1st, six room house near high school. Geo. W. Wise.

FOR RENT-No. 353 Court street. Whitehead & Matheson, Jackson block.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE-House and two lots. Enquire at 88 Prospect avenue.

FROM OUR VINEYARD-Ten gallon kegs A 1 Port, Sherry, Angelica, Muscatel, Tokay or choice Rhine wine, vintage '95 \$7.50, vintage '96 \$9.00, vintage '97 \$10.50. Grape brandy three years old \$25.00, 5 years \$31.00. Prices quoted are for ten gallon kegs. Parties having commercial ratings need not send money with orders-others should. The Standard Liquor Co., 628 Market St., San Francisco, Cal.

Fresh Lot of ORANGES

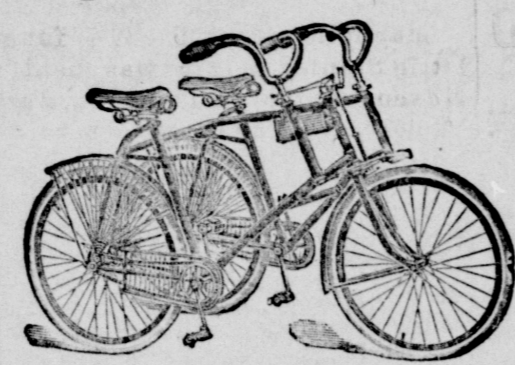
Just Arrived
Navels, 15c per dozen; Navels, 25c per dozen; Seedlings, 15c per dozen.
Finest lot in the city.

BEAUMONT DEFOREST.
West Milwaukee street.



Examine Selkirk's Harness Before Buying
A very handsome whip for 25c.
Repairing promptly done.
Reasonable prices.
JAS. SELKIRK,
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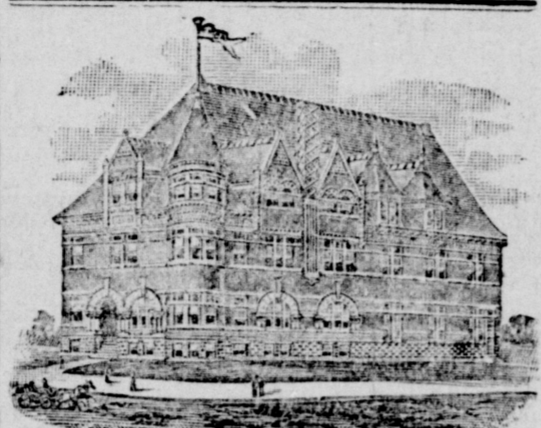
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See the '98 Wolf,
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Mr. Bennett will be here for the third time and the lectures will be his best.

BONA FIDE STATEMENT.

John L. Stoddard showed the same list of illustrations by the same photographs and colored by the same artist, every day of one week in Central Music Hall, Chicago, which was filled; standing room at \$1.00, and hundreds turned away.

Single Ticket 24c. The two, 35c.



"Yes, A good Deal of Satisfaction in Riding A wheel with a guarantee from such a firm as the

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Wheels from \$28.00 to \$125.00.

Janesville Branch, 17 & 19 S. Main.
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...Most Every Lady...

Wears a Switch. My years of experience in the making of Hair Goods gives me every advantage in caring for this class of work. Switches for \$1, and up to \$10 and \$20, according to quality.

MRS. SADLER.
West Milwaukee Street, Janesville

The
Le Nard
Decorative
Art Society
Exhibit

With Mrs. Elliott the Famous embroidery teacher are on their return to Janesville. Watch for them. They are now at Clinton, Ia.

BORT, BAILEY & CO.

Special Sale of...
JACKETS,
CAPES and
SKIRTS....

Friday and Saturday,
April 8th and 9th....



On the above days MR. F. F. LEWIS, representing JOSEPH BEIFELD & CO., of Chicago, will have on sale at our store, their complete line of Ladies' Misses' and Children's Jackets and Capes, and Ladies' Skirts. As you probably know, this is a representative line, and will contain all of the newest colorings and designs in Jackets, Capes and Skirts. For these two days they will be offered at a slight advance over wholesale cost.



You are cordially invited to inspect these goods.

BORT, BAILEY & CO.

Prices Cracked On
Flour at Sanborn's.

Choice of any of the four fanciest Flours milled at \$1.25 per sack.
GOLD MEDAL, VERY BEST, HARD TO BEAT, TIP TOP.

The wholesale price of Flour today in car lots is \$5.20 per barrel or \$1.30 sack. Sanborn sells you the very best at \$1.25. The saving is plain. We cannot guarantee this price for one moment. War scare is liable to shove wheat up out of sight, so if you want Flour GET IT NOW; DON'T WAIT.

READ THE LIST OVER CAREFULLY.

Reindeer Yellow Cal. Peaches per can.....	20c	Fancy Bartlett Pears, per can.....	15c
Fancy Yellow Crawford Cal. Peaches, per can.....	15c	Charter Oak Bartlett Pears, 6 for \$1.00; per can.....	20c
Monarch extra Lemon Cling Peaches, per can.....	35c	Reindeer White Cal. Cherries, per can.....	25c
Put up in pure granulated sugar syrup.		Reindeer Black Cherries, per can.....	25c
Richelieu extra White Cling Peach, per can.....	35c	Reindeer Royal Aim Cherries, very fine, per can.....	38c
Put up in cordial; finest article put up.		Richelieu Preserved Cherries, red, pitted, per can...	35c
Richelieu extra sliced Peaches for cream.....	35c	Monarch Crabapples in sugar syrup, extra fine.....	10c
Derby Cal. Apricots, 2 for 25c; per can.....	13c	Wholesale price today is \$1.75 a dozen.	
In sugar syrup; regular price 15c can.		Monarch and Batavia Apples, per gallon can.....	25c
Golden Seal Cal. Apricots in sugar syrup, 2 for 25c; can..	13c	Two best brands; this is exactly wholesale price on them today.	
Yuba Apricots in sugar syrup, regular 18c quality.....	15c	Tepee Blackberries, per can.....	10c
Monarch Red Kidney Beans, per can.....	10c	Wholesale price today is \$1.15 a dozen.	
This is a special price; usually sells at 13c; 2 for 25c.		Tremain Preserved Raspberries, per can.....	10c
Early June Sweet Peas, 10c can; 3 for.....	25c	Wholesale price today is \$1.35 a dozen.	
This pea at the price has no equal; it is worth twice the price and makes a friend of every user.		Mason Bros. & Davis' solid meat Tomatoes, can	10c
Russian Sweet Peas, per can.....	15c	These goods are quoted in Chicago market at \$1 per doz wholesale	
These goods never retailed heretofore less than 20c. We make them special.		Ruby tomatoes, per can.....	10c
Sifted Early June Peas, per can.....	10c	Monarch extra Tomatoes, 2 for 25c; per can.....	13c
Richelieu Sugar Peas, per can.....	20c	Richelieu extra Tomatoes, 2 for 25c; per can.....	13c
True to name; quality never varies.		Royalton's Stringless Beans, 3 for 25c; per can.....	10c
Imported French Peas, can, Jules Dupont's extra fine..	15c	Richelieu Stringless Beans, per can, straight.....	15c
Old price 20 cents.		Richelieu Golden Wax Beans, 2 for 25c; per can.....	13c
White Owl Sweet Corn, per can.....	7c	Monarch Golden Wax Beans, per can.....	15c
These are especially fine at this price and always sell at 10c.		Monarch French Lima Beans, per can.....	15c
Courty Gentleman Sweet Corn per can.....	10c	Richelieu French Lima Beans, per can.....	20c
Monarch Sweet Corn, 2 for 25c, per can.....	13c	Richelieu Moorpark Apricots in extra fine syrup, can....	30c
Richelieu Sweet Corn, 2 for 25c; per can.....	13c		
Monarch Asparagus Tips, per can.....	25c		

C. A. SANBORN & COMPANY.

'Phone No. 9.

TWO HUNDRED ARE MISSING.

Gov. Tanner Promptly Sends a Load of Supplies and Money to Relieve Want—Account of the Inundation Given by One of the Survivors.

Shawneetown, Ill., April 5.—The suffering throughout Shawneetown is most pitiable. The only direct communication is by telephone from a station first established two miles west of Shawneetown.

So far sixty-five persons are known to be drowned. As yet no systematic attempt has been made to recover the dead bodies. Eight hundred people are being sheltered at the Riverside hotel. Two hundred are missing.

The dead:
MRS. C. R. GALLOWAY.
MARY GALLOWAY.
DORA GALLOWAY.
MRS. CHARLES CLAYTON.
MILTON CLAYTON.
JESSIE CLAYTON.
MYRTLE CLAYTON.
GERTIE CLAYTON.
BROWNIE CLAYTON.
MRS. PAUL PHELAN AND FIVE CHILDREN.

MARY PHELAN.
WASHINGTON CALLICOTT.
MRS. WASHINGTON CALLICOTT.
COL. JOHN CALLICOTT.
MARY McALLISTER.
ELLEN McALLISTER.
NOAH WELCH.
MRS. McLEAN.
TILLIE McLEAN.
FRANK MORRISON.
ELLA RINEHOLT.
JENNIE RINEHOLT.
MRS. JOHN HOLLY.
MRS. EDWARD FLETCHER AND ADOPTED DAUGHTER.

JOHN FLETCHER.
CAROLINE SPAULDING.
RICHARD FLETCHER.
JANE FLETCHER (colored).
MRS. TALLY.
CORA SHERWOOD.

MRS. CHARLES KOPF AND FIVE CHILDREN.
MRS. A. A. HATHAWAY.
MISS FLORENCE EVANS.
M. SAINNELLY AND WIFE.
MRS. WEBB.

FRED RINEHOLT.
MRS. FRED RINEHOLT AND THREE CHILDREN.
HENRY KING AND FOUR CHILDREN.

SIX COLORED CHILDREN.
The flood swept 200 houses from their foundations.

Noble rescue work was done with skiffs. People were found clinging to housetops, trees and other debris. Seventy-five negroes have passed the last twenty-four hours in a small schoolhouse two miles from Shawneetown. So far \$3,000 worth of provisions have been sent in from Carmi, McLeansboro, Mount Vernon and Nashville. A relief train was run over the Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern and a steamboat load of provisions came from Evansville. Four hundred of the flood sufferers will be removed to Mount Vernon, Ind.

SUFFERING FROM EXPOSURE.
Rain Adds Greatly to the Discomforts of the Situation.

Evansville, Ind., April 5.—Rain is falling on the stricken town. Many of the citizens, especially the women and children, are suffering from exposure.

The flood came upon the people without warning while they were at their evening meal or on their way to church. With a deafening roar the swollen river broke through the levee in the rear of the city and swept away everything in its path. Within an hour after the breaking of the levee the water stood over the city to a depth of from ten to thirty feet. A few moments before the catastrophe the levee was in good condition and stood from five to six feet above the water. The break occurred below the surface.

The lower part of the city was the first to be submerged, but the water spread so rapidly that residents of the higher portions were compelled to seek safety in the upper stories of the houses. Everything was abandoned in the mad rush for life, and 2,000 people are now huddled together in the larger houses and public buildings, without food or fuel. They are suffering greatly from hunger and cold.

The break in the levee occurred on the north side of the rear part of the city between 5 and 6 o'clock. Those who were near the levee when the break came made a rush for their homes to save their families. They were overtaken by the waters and swept away.

Many corpses have been taken from floating homes where families were sitting around their supper tables when the flood rushed upon them without warning. The disaster is the worst that has occurred since the famous Johnstown flood.

The mayor of Shawneetown has appealed to President McKinley for aid, but it is thought assistance from the government will not be necessary. Three relief expeditions have arrived from Evansville, and the Louisville & Nashville and Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern railroads have sent special trains carrying provisions. The governor of Illinois quickly forwarded 300 tents, which have furnished shelter for the major portion of the homeless.

Shawneetown is built in a basin. To the front of the city runs the Ohio river, to the left and above the Wabash. In the rear, three miles from the river, stand a group of hills, and to the south below the city, extends a level tract of lowlands. Shawneetown is the county seat of Gallatin county. It is connected with the outside world by the river and by a joint branch of the Louisville & Nashville and Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern railroads, which run a branch to and from Cypress Junction, Ill. Surrounding the city

like a horseshoe is a high levee constructed by the government.

The front of the levee is protected with stone, but the sides are made entirely of earth, as the only protection needed from them was to prevent the backwater from gaining access to the city. After the flood of 1884 a five-inch wall was built around the entire levee. From the front levee the town slopes gradually until the hills in the rear are reached. It was at the farther end of the levee that the break occurred, and the lower part of the city, or the part known as "the flats," was the first to be submerged.

The town was inundated at that time by cutting the levee below the city, but no lives were lost. The people were given time to seek safety in the hills, and most of the property was removed.

TOLD BY A SURVIVOR.

Vivid Description of the Terrible Sadness of the Flood.

Paducah, Ky., April 5.—When death swept down upon Shawneetown Sunday on the crest of a mighty flood there were a few who watched its progress and lived to tell the story. One of these eyewitnesses has reached Paducah. The scenes he beheld and the sounds he heard will linger like a nightmare in his memory for many a day.

Ed Walton, a steamboat hand, had left the packet at Shawneetown and was spending an idle Sunday afternoon wandering about the peaceful little Illinois city when the Ohio, swollen by freshets and rains, burst the barrier that held it off the land and roared across the fields into the doomed town. Walton left Shawneetown late Sunday night and reached here Monday, coming the latter part of his journey by rail. Possibly of all those in Shawneetown he had the clearest view of the disaster.

Walton says the wall of water, twenty feet high, came without warning. The first intimation he had was when he heard a roaring behind him to the north as he lounged along the bank of the main levee. Then he saw the yellow torrent of rushing waters coming. He declares that it looked like a low hill, the spreading waters forming the sloping sides and the crest of the flood the top. Walton was near the wharfboat. Realizing what had happened, he ran for that and reached its decks as the water began to fill the streets and yards of the well-kept place.

Hundreds residing in the front part of town were warned in time. More fortunate than those living in the lower part of Shawneetown, they caught an inkling of the oncoming disaster and fear of death gave them speed. Men, women and children ran for places of safety. The big clumsy wharfboat, anchored at the narrow landing, offered refuge. The panic-stricken mob poured on board, and none too soon.

In a few moments the land they had left was submerged, but, safe for the time being, they watched the destruction of their homes and saw the deaths of kinsmen, friends and neighbors.

Borne away by the flood houses filled, careened and were dashed to pieces.

Before the citizens of the community could realize their doom the yellow water was pouring into second-story windows. Whole families died together. Husbands went down to death with the cries of wives and babies ringing in their ears. Children were swept from their mother's arms into the whirlpool.

From where Walton stood he had a good view of the town. Once he passed through a tornado on the upper Mississippi, but he declares that its force was trivial compared to the power of the flood at Shawneetown. Big houses, stanchly built, were overturned, and smaller ones were carried away. He saw one man slide off a floating roof to help a child which clung to some floating wreckage and both perished before his eyes.

A few strong swimmers saved themselves, but for the women and children and older persons there was no help. Some who gained pieces of drifting debris kept their heads above water for a little while, but most of them finally perished.

Walton watched a mass of lumber from a millyard come right down the middle of a street with two young men upon it. When he looked again the timbers were scattered and the youths were gone.

MANY PEOPLE CANNOT DRINK

coffee at night. It spoils their sleep. You can drink Grain-O when you please and sleep like a top. For Grain-O does not stimulate, it nourishes, cheers and feeds. Yet it looks and tastes like the best coffee. For nervous persons, young people and children Grain-O is the perfect drink. Made from pure grains. Get a package from your grocer today. Try it in place of coffee, 15 and 25c.

Johnson's Wax. . . . For Dining Room Floors

Gives a Polish Unattainable Otherwise.

KENT PAINT COMPANY.

West Milwaukee Street.

The Outside Goodness....

Should be shared by the inside. When the outside of a house is attractive it is easy to add interior beauty.

A handsome piece of Grill Work here; a cozy corner—perhaps something effective in a Stair Railing or a Doorway.

Tasteful design and skilled workmanship are both considered in the house-finishings that we turn out.

Better facilities, and one profit from stump to purchaser.

D. K. JEFFRIS.

N. River St. Opp. W. Side Engine House.

Advertisement for Gold Dust Washing Powder. It features a central illustration of a hand holding a bar of soap, surrounded by a circular border of hands. The text reads: "Grimy finger marks seem to grow on the woodwork about the house. They come easily and they stick, too—unless you get rid of them with GOLD DUST Washing Powder. It makes all cleaning easy. THE N. K. FAIRBANK COMPANY, Chicago, St. Louis, New York, Boston, Philadelphia."

"IRONING MADE EASY"

Advertisement for Elastic Starch. It features a central illustration of a box of Elastic Starch with a hand holding a piece of fabric. The text reads: "ELASTIC STARCH. A GREAT INVENTION. REQUIRES NO COOKING. MAKES COLLARS AND CUFFS STIFF AND NICE AS WHEN FIRST BOUGHT NEW. PREPARED FOR LAUNDRY PURPOSES ONLY. ONE POUND OF THIS STARCH WILL GO AS FAR AS A POUND AND A HALF OF ANY OTHER STARCH. MANUFACTURED ONLY BY THE J. C. HUBINGER BROS. CO. KEOKUK, IOWA. NEW HAVEN, CONN. COPYRIGHTED."

This starch is prepared on scientific principles by men who have had years of practical experience in fancy laundering. It restores old linen and summer dresses to their natural whiteness and imparts a beautiful and lasting finish. It is the only starch manufactured that is perfectly harmless, containing neither arsenic, alum or any other substance injurious to linen and can be used even for a baby powder.

For sale by all wholesale and retail grocers.

Advertisement for Indapo. It features a central illustration of a man's face. The text reads: "Indapo. Made a well Man of Me? INDAPPO THE GREAT HINDOO REMEDY. PROVES THE ABOVE Results in 30 days. Cures all Nervous Diseases, Failing Memory, Paralysis, Sleeplessness, Nightly Emissions, etc., caused by past abuses, gives vigor and size to shrunk organs, and surely restores Lost Manhood in old or young. Easily carried in vest pocket. Price \$1.00 a package, Six for \$5.00 with a written guarantee to cure or money refunded. Don't buy an imitation, but insist on having INDAPPO. If your druggist has not got it, we will send it prepaid. HINDOO REMEDY CO., Props., Chicago, Ill. or our Agents, People's Drug Co., Corner Main and Milwaukee Sts., Janesville."

Advertisement for Dr. Ballentine's No. 56. It features a central illustration of a man's face. The text reads: "MADE ME A MAN. AJAX TABLETS POSITIVELY CURE ALL Nervous Diseases—Failing Memory, Impotency, Sleeplessness, etc., caused by Abuse or other Excesses and Indiscretions. They quickly and surely restore Lost Vitality in old or young, and fit a man for study, business or marriage. Taken in time, their use shows immediate improvement and effects a CURE where all other fail. Insist upon having the genuine AJAX Tablets. They have cured thousands and will cure you. We give a positive written guarantee to effect a CURE. Price 50c. in each case or refund the money. Price \$2.50 per package; or six boxes (full treatment) for \$25.00. By mail, in plain wrapper, upon receipt of price, (insert 25-cent stamp). AJAX REMEDY CO., Chicago, Ill."

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Last week Strauss Bros. purchased of Howell, Dear & Co., New York, 46,000 yards of one style of Black Clay Diagonal Worsteds. They got it at their own price and are now in a position to undersell any competitor in the market. Can even sell it cheaper than ready-made. They have authorized me to sell suits of it in either cutaways or sacks at \$15.00. Think of getting a fine black cutaway for \$15.00. Absolutely fast black too.

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We hereby guarantee each and every garment bearing our label to be free from imperfections in material and workmanship, to be sewed with the best standard silk, tailored by the best skilled custom journeymen tailors and made of reliable fabrics only, thoroughly sponged, shrunk and refinished. Should any of Strauss Bros.' garments prove unsatisfactory for reason of not being as above represented they may be returned to us to be replaced. All garments made by us are guaranteed to fit perfectly.

(Signed) STRAUSS BROS. H. V. ALLEN, agent; Room 6, Municipal C't Block.

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You say the quotation above is wrong. We admit it is, but read on. You will find some ideas that are most assuredly correct. House facts, at right prices.

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Our 5c Pies, and bakery trade generally, are on the boom. Stuff is good, and it's cheap is the reason.

Finest Prunes in the country, per lb.	5c	Sweet Midget Pickles, in bulk, per lb.	35c
Fancy Raisins, per lb.	5c	White Pickled Onions, per qt.	30c
2 packages best Seeds	6c	Fancy Apricots, put up in syrup, 15c can; 2 for	25c
Choice Apricots, 10c lb.; 3 for	25c	Peaches, Pears and Plums, put up in syrup, very choice, 15c can; 2 for	25c
Choice Peaches, 10c lb.; 3 for	25c	Large box Matches	10c
Good Sardines, 5c can; 6 for	25c	Large Pint bottle Catsup	10c
Good Salmon, 10c can; 3 for	25c	Fancy brick Cheese, per lb.	15c
Self rising Buckwheat, per package	8c	Strictly fresh Eggs, per doz	8c
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Try our Peanut Butter; it's the coming delicacy, only 15c glass; receipt book with every purchase. We supply Sweet Cream, Milk and Buttermilk at any time. Green Vegetables, such as Lettuce, Radishes, Onions, Fancy Dates, only 5c lb. Nice lot of very fancy fresh Dairy Butter, every pound warranted.

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South River Street.

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Are claiming our attention in our furnishing department that we scarcely know which to take about first. There is our \$1.50 glove, for instance. We know of nothing so good at half a dollar more. The colorings are the newest.

There's our 50-cent neckwear. If the sort of stuff we see displayed in other stores at \$1 is any better we can't tell the difference—neither can you. Then, again, there's our 50-cent spring-weight patent-clasp suspender. When you see it you won't pay much attention to the one we are showing at \$1, but then we had bought the \$1 grade before we had seen these remarkable 50-cent braces. Then these double-soled lisle-thread half hose, in browns and tans, at 25 cents, are wonderful value, as you will see at a glance. Real Irish linen handkerchiefs, with self and hemstitched edges, will attract you to them with their big value magnetism; and so we might quote a hundred or two more items, only we'd rather have you come to the store and see all these things and judge of their values yourself.

A Word About Repairs.

Our repair department is in charge of a first-class tailor. We do repairing, cleaning and pressing of all kinds at moderate prices. If you have cloth you wish made up we will cut, make and trim it in the best manner. All clothes bought at our store we keep in press free of charge.

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52-inch black Brilliantine, worth 50c, at
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40-inch black Sicilian cloth, extra quality; regular 75c value, special price,
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36 inch wide, all wool Cashmere; 35c value, at
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34 inch wide, half wool Brocade Dress Goods, black only; real value, 15c, special price,
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Do not fail to see our new line of metal and velvet Belts. Large assortment just in. Metal Belts as low as 25c; many qualities finer; most beautiful assortment out this season. We have the new velvet Belt with metal buckle at 25c. Also metal buckles separate to use on ribbon belts, at
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We are showing a good line and having a good sale for we sell them low.

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We have just received a fine assortment from one of the best Hosiery firms in the country and can sell the best Hose in the city for the money.

Table Oil Cloths, Towels, Handkerchiefs, Ties, Suspenders.

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COMPARE OUR PRICES WITH SO-CALLED SWELL DEALERS'.

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Men's fine Satin Calf Tans; swell dealers want \$2.50; our price.....	2 00	Women's Dongola button and lace Tans; swell dealers want \$2.50; our price.....	2 00
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Spring invoice of **Majestic Lawn Mowers** and **Belding Refrigerators**. We have sold the Majestic Mowers for fifteen years and found them the best machine made.

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'97 Crescents were
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Great Linen Bargains....

Secured in our recent visit to the New York market—Table Linens by the yard, also in patterns; fringed cloths and hem-stitched cloths; two hundred dozen napkins and fifty dozen white and colored fringed napkins; a big lot of medium and extra fine towels; a beautiful line of tray cloths, lunch cloths, center pieces, dresser covers, doilies and small linen pieces.

Special Sale Wednesday, April 6th.

Two Sample Lines--

Included in the purchase were two lines of importers' samples, comprising every line mentioned above. They will all be put on sale at 25 and 33 1/3% under today's positive value.

Damasks in the same standard qualities always to be found at our linen sales, specially priced for Wednesday at 27 1/2c, 37 1/2c, 42 1/2c, 47 1/2c, 57 1/2c, 62 1/2c, 72 1/2c, 87 1/2c—these prices representing better values than we ever before offered! Linen buyers will appreciate this statement.

72 inch Bleached Damask...

Nothing equal it can be found in a Janesville store; it has twice the weight of ordinary linen and at the same time is fine as silk. Such damask was never put over a counter below \$25 per yard. For our Wednesday sale we will let it out for \$1.62.

Brown Damask..

It is called by the trade, you call it unbleached—a special line of 72 inch widths are in and will be on sale at the Wednesday prices; bleaches easily and gives great service.

Pattern Cloths...

Most beautiful designs we ever had of the grandest qualities you would wish to see in satin damasks; napkins to match the cloths.

Pillow Shams...

Cut out work and embroidered, pretty new patterns in a large showing. One lot in particular are excellent value—for Wednesday's sale at \$1.69 per pair. Small tops of same designs, squares in all sizes, round shapes,—everything in the line new.

The same range of prices for Wednesday on staple lines of Towels, Napkins and Crashes. Come expecting to see a grand line of Linens.

ARCHIE REID & CO.